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## Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

## Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on April 20, 2007, in connection with the above-identified U.S. patent application. The three-month period for response expired on July 20, 2007. In light of a three-month extension of time and fee therefore enclosed herewith, response is due October 20, 2007; that being a Saturday, this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the <u>Listing of claims</u> that begins on page 3 of this paper.

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